



FSLW OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

October is a busy month with a couple long weekends! School will be closed on **Monday October 12th for Thanksgiving**, and then will be closed again on **Monday October 19th for the referendum vote** that is happening in Alberta.

Food

Food prices have skyrocketed, as well as a lot of other things. If you are finding that you are running out of groceries before the next pay day and you need a little extra help- please reach out. There are multiple supports that can provide extra food for your family. Everything is kept confidential, and I can help deliver if transportation is a barrier. Please email me at amy.byng@ecsd.net for support.

Leisure and Transit Program

Did you know there is also support – for those who qualify- to gain entry into the recreation centers, Zoo, and Muttart for free/ or discounted rate. As well as gaining a Transit pass for a discounted rate. The City of Edmonton provides opportunities for these passes, if a family meets their income qualifications. Please see the link to see if you are eligible!

**For families that are newer to Canada, and may not have filed taxes yet, please look up the qualifying information under the Annual Program 1-Year Term.*

To Apply Please Visit:

https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/leisure-access-program

If you need any support applying for this program – please reach out!

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Free Family Activities for this weekend! Oct 2nd- 4th

<https://www.edmonton.family/weekend>

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C5 Youth Programs Ages 8-18 - FREE

Located at Clareview Recreation Centre- **Entrance 3**

3804 139 Ave NW, Edmonton

<https://www.c5yeg.ca/programs>

Free Ghostbusters Family Halloween Experience

When: October 30, 2026

Where: 7515 Delwood Rd NW, Edmonton

Original Ghostbusters screening (1984)!

Come dressed up as one of the Ghostbusters characters for your chance to win some awesome prizes!

